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In re application of: Kageyama et al.

Art Unit: 2834

Application No. 10/016,366

Filed: November 1, 2001

For: SHEET COILS AND LINEAR MOTORS  
COMPRISING SAME, AND STAGE  
UNITS AND MICROLITHOGRAPHY  
APPARATUS COMPRISING SAID  
LINEAR MOTORS

Examiner: Iraja Mohandes

Date: June 6, 2003

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is an Amendment and Response to Restriction for the above application.

- No fee is believed to be required. However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 02-4550. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- Please return the enclosed postcard to confirm that the items listed above have been received.

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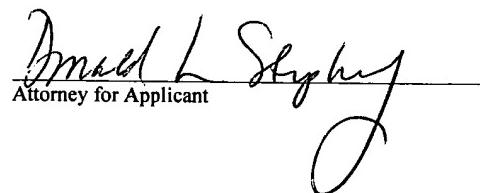
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION

This paper is in reply to the Restriction Requirement dated May 7, 2003.

Applicants elect the claims of group I for prosecution in the instant application.

Please amend the subject application as follows: